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SEPTEMBER SHIPMENTS OF COAL SURPRISINGLY GOOD

Lock No. 4 Had Busy Month In Spite of Local Effect from Tie-Up in Lower River Navigation

COMPARES FAVORABLY WITH LAST YEAR

In spite of the fact that low water in the Ohio river has been responsible in cutting down river shipments of coal Lock No. 4 had a good month during September, and the total shipment of coal was somewhat above the average. With 16,268,000 bushels locked through September was a better month than August by 589,000 bushels.

During the month there were 700 lockages made down stream. Steamers passing down were 394, and there were 1,499 boats, barges and flats locked through. Up stream there were 695 lockage made, 391 steamers and 1,458 boats, barges and flats passing up. The rainfall was 3.41 inches.

During August there were 15,679,000 bushels of coal put through Lock No. 4, and the previous month there was a total shipment of 17,675,000 bushels. During September, 1909, there was a shipment of 11,095,000 bushels. The past month was the best therefore, of September for two years, in 1907 there being a total shipment of 16,600,000 bushels.

The low water on the Ohio has caused nearly all the available as to be loaded with all and either lett in the Pittsburg harbor or held at the various coal company's docks along the Monongahela river. The rain fall the past month was better than usual, but was not steady enough at any one period to cause a good boating stage in the Ohio.

JUDGES NAME BEST QUILTS

Unique Designs and Artistic Workmanship Noted

The judges to pass upon the qualifications of quilts entered locally in the Revolutionary Quilt contest being conducted by the Reddisode Cotton Batting company of which J. W. Berryman and Son are the local agents, made their decision Saturday night after a thorough inspection of the 29 quilts entered at Berryman's store. The quilt adjudged first on all points considered, historical interest, age and artistic bauty, was that of Mrs. Simon Wilson of Fallowfield avenue. The second was one belonging to Miss Clara G. Cooper, and the third best was one belonging to Miss Mabel Mansfield.

The quilt owned by Mrs. Wilson was chosen mainly because of its exquisite design and workmanship. This quilt had beautiful raised figures which had been worked by Mrs. Wilson's mother, 60 years ago. The quilt of Miss Cooper's was one made by her grandmother 30 years ago, when that lady was between 80 and 90 years old. It is like that of Mrs. Wilson's of beautiful design and workmanship, and the fact that it was made by a person so old, lends especial historical interest to it.

The quilt of Miss Mansfield's was selected as one of the best because of its age, its unique design, and fine workmanship. The stitching and patchwork drew special attention.

The judges were Rev. J.T Hackett, Jesse K. Johnston and E. C. Niver. Pictures of the quilts will be taken and together with a thorough description of the work and historical interest be sent to the Reddisode company. Money prizes are awarded for the best quilts in the United States.

Rummage Sale

The ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale in the Schuyler building on McKean avenue, at the corner of Fourth street, beginning next Tuesday. 46t2

JEWISH NEW YEAR BEGINS AT SUNDOWN

At sundown today in every Jewish synagogue or house of worship throughout the universe the solemn service of the Jewish New Year will begin with the "Minha," or evening prayer. This holiday is only exceeded in importance by them as Day For Yom Kippur, which comes ten days later.

DIES WHILE GUEST AT FRIEND'S HOME

Miss Rebecca T. Zimmerman, 31 years old of Pittsburg, while a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Booth, of Fallowfield avenue, died this morning at 4 o'clock from consumption. The funeral will be held from the Booth residence Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and services to be conducted by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church, and interment will be in the Fell cemetery near Webster. The deceased, who was a milliner, is survived by a cousin in Monessen, Andrew Zimmerman, and three cousins here, Mrs. J. Leyda of Woodlawn avenue. Mrs. J. McConnell of Meadow avenue, and Mrs. S. Gilland of North Charleroi.

Ligon-Kearnes

At St. Jerome's Catholic church this morning, Miss Mary M. Kearnes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kearnes, of 1300 McKean avenue, and Roscoe Owen Ligon of Pittsburg were married, the ceremony being performed by Rev. O. J. Kirby, assistant rector. Miss Sadie Kearnes, a sister of the bride, and James Welsh of Charleroi were the attendants. The bride is well known here, and the groom is popular in his home neighborhood. After a weddding trip to Kentucky the couple will take up their residence in Charleroi. The groom is employed as a mate on the steamboat Cadet, plying the local river.

John, Martin and William Seofort and friend Albert Volkert, of Northside, Pittsburg, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Nettie Nealer of Fourth street Sunday.

PAVING WORK BEGUN ON McKEAN AVENUE

Work Being Done Between Two Boroughs Will Connect With Solid Streets Three Towns

Hastings and Piper, contractors, have begun the work of grading and paving between the boroughs of Charleroi and North Charleroi on McKean avenue, and within two or three weeks will have the job finished. Thus a much needed improvement will be effected.

By this paving not only the two boroghs of Charleroi and North Charleroi will be connected by solid paving, but a continuous paved street to be finished through to the lower end of Monessen, with the Monessen-Charleroi bridge spanning the river. Muddy passage ways will thus be done away with.

It is planned to lay sidewalks between Charleroi and North Charleroi this winter, and it is stated the latter borough will have walks put down along Lincoln avenue which was graded and paved last year.

CHANGES MADE ON INTERURBAN LINES BY PITTSBURG RAILWAYS

Right of Ways Man Appointed General Agent of the Washington and Canonsburg Line

J. W. McKay, who has for some time been connected with the Pittsburg Railways company as right of way man, has been made general agent for the company of District No. 6, which comprises the lines in the Washington section. Mr. McKay will look after the business of the company in the interurban districts and will be assisted by Fred Eibs, who is now acting superintendent of the Washington district.

Mr. Eibs was local superintendent, but since his promotion he will be responsible for the behavior of the men and crews and the operation of cars on the interurban lines between Washington and Castle Shannon and from Castle Shannon to Charleroi. The lines beyond Castle Snannon will be in charge of district No. 3

It is also likely that some new inspectors will be named for the Washington district within a very short time. Smith Mitchell, who has been inspector for a number of years resigned his positon and accepted a position with a trolley company in Ohio.

These changes will go into effect today. Previous to the change E. C. Fitch, who is now acting superintendent of district No. 3, was superintendent of the Washington division. Mr. McKay has been connected with the Pittsburg Railways company for some time as right of way and real estate man and is well acquainted with the workings of the lines in this district.—Washington Observer.

Democrat Says Tener is Known

Republican Candidate Popular Throughout the Entire State.

Owen McCarthy, a prominent Pennsylvania Railroad official, who is located at Renovo, was in town yesterday, visiting friends. It was Mr. McCarthy's first visit to Charleroi and he was much interested in the appearance of the town. The fact of it being the home of John K. Tener, the Republican candidate for Governor, added interest, and Mr. McCarthy stated that although a life-long Democrat, he proposed to vote for Mr. Tener this fall, and said he knew many more of his party who would do the same. His duties take him to many parts of the State, and he says that his observation leads to the conclusion that Mr. Tener will have an overwhelming majority.

CENTENNIAL OPENS AT COUNTY SEAT

The centennial was formally opened with services in all the Washington Churches yesterday and today the program as heretofore published is being carried out. A feature of the centennial week will be the aeroplane exhibition each day, late in the afternoon. It is possible that Walter Brookins, who is to make the flights, may take a sail over this way to view the home of the next Governor of Pennsylvania.

Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that my wife, Bessie Perry, having left my home without just cause or provocation, I will pay no bills that she may contract.

Solomon Perry.

Charleroi, Oct. 3, 1910. 47t3p

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 27 Mail office. 47t2p

Miss Ada Barnhart left Saturday for Little Falls, N. Y., where she will enter the Syracuse Seminary for girls.

Adult Classes at Convention

Will be Feature of State Sunday School Meeting at Altoona.

Perhaps no present day movement among the Protestant Evangelical churches has created a wider attention and interest than the one characterized by the initials O. A. B. C., which stand for Organized Adult Bible Class. The movement is connected with the Sunday schools of the county and is endorsed by all denominations. Our sister State, Ohio, on our western border leads the movement in the number of such classes.

Pennsylvania is very close second Within the last two years 2,150 classes, with a membership of 66,844 have been organized. Bible study with a view of personal, practical every day application, is the object.

A rally of the representatives of these classes will be held Friday, October 14th, at Altoona in connection with the Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, October 12, 13, 14.

A street demonstration of the men's classes will be a feature of the day. It is expected that ten thousand men will participate. Ex-Governor Hanley of Indianapolis, Ind., will address the mass meeting following the street demonstration. His topic will be Civic Evolution." Every county in the State will be represented in this demonstration.

Rare Bargains

Can be obtained at the rummage sale of the ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church in the Schuyler building at the corner of Fourth street and McKean avenue. Sale begins Tuesday, October 4. 46t2

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Hockman of Lookout avenue are attending the Pittsburg Exposition today.

One pint imported China cream jugs, beautifully decorated, 25c. value. Special one free with one-half pound tea 30c. At Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

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LOCAL ATHLETES ENTER CENTENNIAL TRACK MEET

Centennial Feature at Washington Thursday Attracting Considerable Attention Here.

HIGH SCHOOL TO SEND BEST RUNNERS

About 75 prominent amateur athletes have arranged to compete in the big centennial championship track and field meet to be held at College Park, Washington, Wednesday afternoon, October 5, under the direction of Dr. L. F. Kirchner, physical director of W. and J. College. The Pittsburg Athletic association will send 21 of its best men; W. and J. College will have 12; Charleroi High School, four and Grove City College five. Other entries are Washington Field Club, Pittsburg, four; Indiana State Normal School two, Wellsville High School, one; Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. four; Westmintser College, New Wilmington, two; Washington Y. M. C. A., three and Pittsburg Y. M. C. A., one. In the five mile event there are 21 entries.

In order to take care of the large number of athletes and their friends and other college men in Pittsburg, special cars have been arranged for, to be run from Liberty and Grant to Washington. The following are the events: 100 yard dash; 220 yard dash; 440 yard dash; 440 yard run for schools; high jump; broad jump discus throw; one mile run; five mile run; 10 yard hurdle; 220 yard hurdle; pole vault; half mile run.

The Charleroi high school has Shaner Blythe and Austin Stalhman entered in the 220 yard dash; Austin Stalhman, Blythe, Jesse Michener, H. Primas and L Carson, in the 440 yard run, and L Carson in the pole vault; B. H. Crawford of Charleroi, who has gained some reputation as a runner, is entered in the five mile run.

WANT THE NAME OF STATION CHANGED

A petition is being circulated among the shipper of Roscoe, asking the P. and L E. railroad to change the name of their station opposite that place to avoid confusion in shipments and expensive delays to merchants. Ever since the Lake Erie road was built the Fayette county side of the river people have suffered annoyance and expense in having packages carried on to Newell the next station beyond, as there is no agent at the Fayette county Roscoe. It is hoped the petition will be effective.

BILLIARD PLAYERS

H. L. Swickey, proprietor of the Popular Colonial Pool and Billiard rooms on McKean avenue, is a firm believer in keeping abreast of the times, and this was demonstrated some time ago when he gave the West Penn Electric company a contract for a complete remodeling of his lighting system. Over each table at present will be found two 80 candle power modern Tungsten Electric Lights enclosed in handsome glass reflectors. As the Colonial was just lately redecorated and many changes made for convenience of patrons, Mr. Swickey is justified in feeling very proud of his room, as it is not surpassed even in cities in its appointments and fixtures.

A very interesting new feature is the purchase of a very valuable set of billiard cues and balls of the finest quality not be had the world over. The balls are made from the finest soft Zanzibar Elephant Tusk Ivory, and even to see the exquisite formation of these "live balls" is a treat. The best finished Cues procurable are used, and are wrapped handled, ebony pointed.

Mr. Swickey has just lately covered his Billiard Table with the highest grade of Samonis cloth, and also put in new rails and bed, thereby insuring to the lovers of high class billiards unexcelled facilities for the game of their choice. 47t1

James Pegg was home from McDonald where he is employed, for a visit over Sunday with relatives and friends.

ITINERARY MAPPED OUT

Campaigning Party in Northern Part of State.

John K. Tener and his colleagues on the Republican State ticket spent yesterday in Pittsburg and tonight they will speak at New Castle. Lieutenant Governor Robert S. Murphy will make a notable address in which he will review the achievements of Governor Stuart's administration.

Mr. Tener's itinerary of night meetings for the week is: Monday, New Castle; Tuesday, Sharon; Wednesday, Titusville; Thursday, Franklin; Friday, Warren, and Saturday, Erie.

Mr. Tener, however, expects to be in Washington Friday, having been invited to be present at Distinguished Visitors Day of the Centennial celebration being held at the county seat this week.

VESTA STRIKE IS STILL ON

Practically No Change of Conditions at Up River Mine

There has been practically no change of conditions at the Vesta No. 1 mine and the strike in effect for several days over the use of safety lamps on pillars, is still on. President Francis Feehan is expected to take a hand in the matter and there is hope of settlement then. The miners are willing to go to work under conditions they refused at first to accept and now it is optional with the mine officials whether the mine starts or not.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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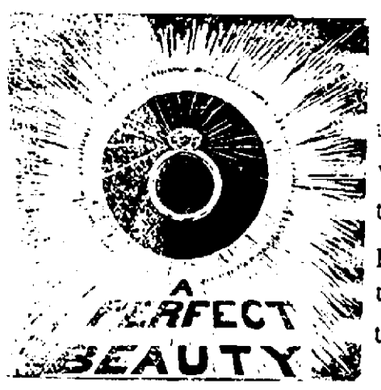

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Oct. 3 In American History.

1656—Miles Standish, Puritan soldier and hero of romance, died; born 1584.

1800—George Bancroft, historian, born; died 1891.

1860—Rembrandt Peale, celebrated painter, died; born 1778.

1866—Steamer Evening Star, bound from New York to New Orleans, sunk at sea, and 250 persons were drowned; a highly sensational ocean tragedy.

1901—General George W. Getty, noted veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died; born 1813.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:35, rises 5:56; moon sets 6:03 p. m.; at sunset today year 5671 of Jewish era begins; 2:53 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet; 7 a. m., Mercury at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 11 a. m., Mercury apparently stationary.

Where the Danger Lies

Former Congressman E. F. Acheson must now be convinced more than ever that he is not destined to extinguish John K. Tener's star of destiny. His last attempt in collusion with W. J. Brennan, the Democratic county chairman of Allegheny, to effect a fusion of the Democratic and Keystone parties—the latter of which Mr. Acheson was one of the prime movers for the express purpose of trying to defeat Mr. Tener—has proved a rank failure. Although Mr. Acheson started the Keystone movment ostensibly in the interests of local option, he was perfectly willing to sacrifice this principle to form a coalition with a party that has never committed itself to this issue.

Even though he has given up trying to defeat Tener for Governor Acheson and his papers are still trying to inflict a blow on the industrial interests of this county and district by trying to elect a Democratic Congressman. In this the Acheson interests have effected a fusion, and are making a desperate effort to induce Republicans to vote for Wilson, the Democratic candidate for Congress, as well as to defeat Republican candidates for Assembly and the Senate in the interests of a Democratic United State Senator. The Acheson coherts cannot jeoardize the election of Governor in any manner, but they may be able to strike a blow at the prosperity of the country by helping to elect a Democratic House of Congress which is opposed to the Republican policy of protection

How Much?

When any person makes a "holler" about the tariff being a burden to the people, a good answer to make is how much personally it adds to the cost of individual expenses? Ten chances to one the average person cannot tell—he has simply accepted some one else's statement on the matter. When any particular schedule is traced to its individually application, the amount of tax each person pays is so inconsiderable that it is not worth while to make a fuss about.

A big "holler" is made on the wool tariff. This is said to be unduely burdensome to the people, and is adding greatly to the cost of living. As a matter of fact the average man pays very little each year of this tax. The tax on raw wool is eleven cents a pound, and the man who buys a twenty dollar all wool suit of clothes probably pays seventy-five cents tax. If he buys a cheaper suit his tax is still less. This pro rata is what he would pay for woolen clothes for his whole family, who for the most part use cotton clothing, which this country produces in its entirety The wool tax the head of a family pays annually is less than what he usually expends for peanuts in the course of a year.

This tax is levied partly to protect the manufacturer and wool grower in this country, and mostly because the country needs the revenue for government expenses. If it were not collected from the citizens in this indirect manner, it would be collected directly, so that each citizen would have to dig down and pay seventy-five cents taxation to the government, whether he bought a wool suit or not Another thing the tax on wool does is to encourage sheep raising. When many sheep are raised the price of mutton tends to regulate the price of beef. As the price of meat is unduly high now, the decrease of sheep raising would increase it still more. When the tariff was taken off wool the flocks declined to a marked extent, and meat prices took a big jump. By making this personal application it will be seen that the tariff does not bear heavily on the individual, and that the benefits that accrue in the general prosperity of the country more than outweigh the burdens that fall on the individual.

Down and Out

By the refusal of the State Democratic campaign committee to effect a fusion, with the Keystone party, and withdraw both Grim, the Democratic candidate for Governor, and Berry, the Keystone candidate, and substitute another Democrat, the Keystone party candidate is virtually down and out. The offer of Berry to withdraw and effect a fusion was a public confession of his weakness and the hopelessness of his campaign, and the wonder now is why such a proposition was made public. Good politics would have prompted the promoters of the project to have kept the matter a secret while the proceedings were in progress. About the only reason why publicity was given the matter is the supposition that the project might arouse popular enthusiasm to such a pitch as to make a demand for fusion irresistible. The enthusiasm was lacking, however, and the confession of weakness that the supporters of the fusion made by their efforts is fatal to their cause.

Mr. Berry is virtually down and out, so far as any hope of election is concerned His candidacy only divides the apposition to the Republican party, and will increase John K. Tener's majority. He will be a low third in the race, and whatever efforts may be made from now on will only tend to increase the rising tide for the Republican ticket that is everywhere apparent.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Not On Your Life

If I were a railroad brakeman,
I'd holler the stations so plain
That the man who was going to Texas
Would go clear through to Maine;
I'd open the door of the smoker,
And I'd give such a mighty roar,
That the passengers back in the sleeper
Would all fall out on the floor.
For I couldn't afford to be civil,
And I couldn't afford to be meek,
Nor speak in the tones of an Aeolian harp
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Hark!
'Tis a midnight alarm of fi-yer
Thick, blinding smoke filled the apartment house, its acrid fumes awakening those who were not used to having their fumes acrid.

Gwendoline De Style was one of these. Apprending that no time was to be lost, she dressed herself and then stepped out on the fire ecape.

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If you are suffering from any of these ailments, don't give up hope until you have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. She has guided thousands to health, free of charge.

Horrors! She had put on her hobble skirt.

The End.

Of course there will be no show whatever for Mr. Tener to be elected Governor of Pennsylvania if Berry and the rest withdraw. But then there wouldn't have been any show. For proof talk to E. F. Acheson.

The Prohibitionists have stated that they cannot support the Keystone party. You can't blame them the least bit.

Impromptu Speaker—"My thoughts have gone to my shoes."

Voice from audience—"Take off your shoes."

The man who cooks his meals by the use of an electric iron shows considerable originality in his makeup.

If an ordinary man gets the whip hand in politics he is called the boss and knocked accordingly. If Roosevelt takes a notion he wants to elect a man to any position he is called a leader and consequently admired.

STREET PARADE TO BE FEATURE

The Howe's Shows are far famed for their menagerie. Its zoological collection of wild beasts is the most compete of any tented organization. It has a collection of costly and rare animals from every part of the world. The entire array will be seen in the gorgeous street parade that will take place at 10 o'clock in the morning with its gaily decked cages, chariots, handsomely gowned men and women, beautiful horses, for which these shows are celebated. Its herds of elephants and camels, open dens of wild beasts and birds, three bands of music. There are scores of premier acts, together with arenic performers. Their offering this season outshines all their previous efforts. All big classy European, together with America's best leapers, tumblers, airilists and acrobats. If you are a lover of horses you owe Howe's Circus a visit. There is no traveling exhibition under the sun that carries such a collection of thoroughbred stock from the smallest Shetland ponies to the high toned Arabian, every class of horse flesh is represented. The afternoon performance will commence at two o'clock and from the grand entree to the finish, the big rings and stages will be occupied by one act or another, from the high salaried artists to the funny old clowns. The program speaks only of novelty and they are coming to Charleroi Saturday, October 8, which will be gala day of the year for both young and old alike.

Three Arrests

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force had but three arrests on Saturday, all these for drunkeness. The town was very orderly.

The Cry of the Age is "Back to the Farm"

With the best market in the world at his door, the intensive farmer located in the Monongahela valley is the wise man of his generation.

Every town has as much need of the small truck, fruit and poultry farms around it as it has for more factories. Such farms make living better and cheaper for the laboring man and more business for the merchant.

I have secured control of a large farm within five minutes walk of the borough limits and will, within the next six weeks, sell it out in small farms. I now have purchasers for about one-half of it and owing to the great demand for small farms near Charleroi expect to close all sales for these farms in a very short time.

A farm big enough for all the boys to work as a truck, poultry and fruit farm while the father works at the mill, can be bought for the price of a cheap town lot. Good country school nearby.

A farm big enough to require the whole time of one intensive farmer can be bought for $500.00. Read the Pittsburg papers about the great land show which will be held there within the next few weeks and learn what can be raised on a few acres of ground by the new methods of intensive farming.

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COYLE THEATRE HAS GOOD SHOW TONIGHT

Great interest is being evinced in the coming engagement of the "Rajah of Bhong company" which will play at the Coyle Theatre first three days beginning October 3. Coming as it does from the big time and presenting an array of talent never before seen at popular prices, Manager Penman is to be congratulated upon securing attractions of this class. James T. Crowley is America's foremost exponent of German Comedy, being entirely away from the many so-called German Comedians now playing this time. A. H. Steppe is one of the coming Hebrew Comedians, his clever work causing favorable comment whenever seen. Miss Georgia Ahl will be seen as the Princess. Her charming personality and natural ability as a performr caused her to rank high in her chosen profession. The Four Dancing Ponies, in their novelty electrical act entitled the "Bathing Girls" present one of the most novel acts ever seen in vaudeville. The performance will conclude with the "Rajah of Bhong," which will be presented with entire strength of the company. This little musical comedy is described by all to be a sure cure for the blues. 46t1

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Walters and son Lewellyn, of Pittsburg were over Sunday visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters.

Patronize Mail Advertisers

DIRECTORY ISSUED BY BELL COMPANY

Many New Subscribers Added Since Last Book Was Issued.

The Bell Telephone company is now distributing the August issue of its directory in the Monongahela valley district, 3,500 books comprising this issue; and it is expected that delivery will be completed before the end of the week.

Each directory contains a list of the subscribers in eight exchanges of the Bell company in the Monongahela Valley District, together with instructions as to reaching seventy toll stations in the district which are not directly associated with any exchange.

F. B. Burwell, local manager for the company, reports that 1,000 new subscribers have been added to the Bell system in his district since the last directory issue. He calls attention to the advisibility of consulting the new issue before making familiar calls, as many subscribers have contracted for an improved class of service, resulting in many changes of all numbers.

The Telephone company further urges the necessity of calling by number. The limits of memory and any change in the operating force make it impossible to render good service if connections are asked by name.

Lungs Declared Sound—Life Insurance Granted.

If you knew a remedy that really had cured Tuberculosis; that had saved from death quite a number of people, would you try to get Consumptives interested in it and induce them to take it; or, would you say nothing about it, for fear of giving offence?

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MANICURE AND HAIRDRESSING

Notice of a Special or Public Election.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Directors for the school district of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington, Pennsylvania, propose to incur an indebtedness of said School District or increase the debt thereof by an amount of $22,000 provided the assent of the electors of said School District is first obtained; and for the purpose of obtaining such assent of said electors, a Public Election is hereby proclaimed, to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 1910, from the hour of seven (7) A. M., to the hour of seven (7) P. M., at the Borough Building or City Hall in said Borough or School District, the place of holding the municipal elections in said municipality or district. And in order to give the information required by law, the following statement is declared.

STATEMENT

1. The amount of the last assessed valuation of said School District is...$316,000
2. There is no existing debt or in other words the indebtedness of said District is nothing.
3. The amount of the last preceding assessed valuation of said District is.....$318,000
4. The amount of the proposed increase of indebtedness is.....$ 23,000
5. The percentage of the proposed increase of indebtedness is 6 and 358-1000 per cent upon the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property in said district.
6. The purpose for which said debt is to be incurred or increased is for the erection and equipping of a new school building for said district.

By order of said Board of Directors of said School District.
Attest:
BOWMAN HORN,
Secretary.
J. A. SPRINGER,
President.

47tf

Notice.

Having resigned the Secretaryship in St. John's Baptist Russian Orthodox church, in Charleroi, Pa., I hereby announce that I will not accept any correspondence or bills for settlement. From this day those should be presented to Rev. J. Seclinsky.

JOHN B. HORDISKINSKY,
927 Meadow Avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.

47tf

Marbles.

Marbles got their name from the fact that originally little bits of marble were rolled down the hills and rounded and pounded by other stones until they became toys for the children to play with. It is said that the Dutch exported them to England. Whether they did or not makes little difference to the boys and girls of today. No matter who introduced the world to marbles as toys, they are with us and always will be. Some of you get them from other children, some of you trade postage stamps for them, but some persons originally bought them from the little store around the corner, whose owner got them from the greatest toyshop in the world—Germany. In the beginning marbles were called "bowls," and men and women played with them as well as children.—Dundee Advertiser.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Flora Daniels and daughter Miss Bessie of Monaca returned home today after being the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. S. James.

Mrs. C. B. Anderson and son of Duquesne who have been guests of the family of C. R. Trew left here Sunday for Beallsville where they will visit Mrs. H. E. Dawson.

Ben Crawford was in Charleroi from Elizabeth over Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Leo A. Sherry, the makeup man of the Mail, after spending a week at his home in Bellefonte, returned last evening.

John Higgins of Washington avenue was taken to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg this morning, for an operation for appendicitis. He was accompanied by Dr. H. H. Hill and John Hott.

George Kline, Frank Arrison and Georg Barnett were Sunday visitors in Brownsville with friends.

Robert McGown was in Brownsville on Saturday calling on friends.

George Hudspith went to Brownsville Sunday to visit friends.

Jay Reeves was in Donora on Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

Perre D. Pollock this morning entered school in the dentistry department of the University of Pittsburg, beginning his second year's work.

James Gray who is employed at McDonald was home over Sunday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Katherine Gray of McKean avenue.

Phillip Hileman, manager and editor of the Waynesburg Times was a visitor in Charleroi this morning on his way to Waynesburg from California where he spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowman and two children of Braddock were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Barth of Washington avenue.

Holmes Leonard has returned from a several weeks trip to the west. He visited in Colorado and other States.

Pres-cut Krystol glass butter dishes dish and cover free with one pound tea 60c. Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

G. W. Holyfield, who has been visiting his brother, C. C. Holyfield here of some time left this afternoon for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will likely locate.

Miss Lizzie Schafer of McKeesport arrived this morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Abell of Crest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson and Mrs. Kerfoot Daly have returned home from Atlantic City, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Harry Mann of Donora was a visitor in Charleroi yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zellers of the Charleroi Hotel.

John McIlvaine, who pitched for the Frankfort, Ky., team of the Blue Grass league the past season, has returned home to spend the winter.

D. J. Murphy of Uniontown division commercial superintendent of the C. D. and P. Telephone company, was a business visitor in Charleroi this morning.

B. E. Taylor of Pittsburg and Owen McCarthy of Renovo were Charleroi visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Day and Mrs. E. C. Niver are spening the day in Pittsburg.

A Meek Worm.

"You miserable worm!" cried an incensed wife. "If you was half a man you'd help me to turn the mangle!"

"I may be a worm," replied the spouse meekly, "but I ain't the sort that turns."—London Mail.

The Sweet Girl.

Belle—Nellie, dear, may I introduce you to my fiance? Nellie—Delighted to meet you, sir! All of your predecessors have been such bully fellows.—Cleveland Leader.

He that riseth late must trot all day and shall scarce overtake his business at night.—Franklin.

PALESTINE.

Many Ways In Which It Strikingly Resembles California.

Palestine is more like the state of California than any other in the Union in everything except size. It lies between longitude 34 degrees 30 minutes and 36 degrees 30 minutes east and between latitude 30 degrees 30 minutes and 33 degrees 45 minutes north. It is practically a California reduced to about one-twentieth in size, but markedly similar in general topography, climate, vegetation and agricultural and economic possibilities.

Like California, Palestine is longest from north to south. Like California, too, it has both very high mountains, having an elevation of 9,000 to 10,000 feet, and very deep depressions. The Dead sea, 1,200 feet below sea level, is the greatest depression known, and, like the Death valley of California, it is situated in the southern extremity of the country.

In Palestine, just as in California, we have a dry, warm season and a humid and more temperate one. The rainy season extends from October to May and the dry season from May to October.

Palestine is even more favored than California with regard to the winter temperature. Although the thermometer rises as high in summer in Palestine as in California, with extremes of 110 degrees to 115 degrees F., though not so often, it very rarely drops in the winter to the freezing point. Snow is rare, even on the plateaus, and our farmers are practically safe from any damage by frost over nearly the entire extent of the country.—From Aaron Aaronsohn's "Agricultural and Botanical Explorations in Palestine."

KEPT HER BUSY.

The Way She Tried to Discover the Telephone Numbers.

"I don't believe that the public schools teach their graduates to use their minds," remarked a well known citizen of Philadelphia the other day. "Here's a story just to illustrate what I mean:

"I got a secretary last summer who had just been graduated with high honors from the Commercial high school. She had been picked out for me as the best girl in her class, and I found her excellent in all that required methodical, parrot-like work.

"One day I jotted down some telephone numbers that I wanted to remember and, having a poor memory, forgot in the course of the morning whose the numbers were or what the business was upon which I wanted to phone.

"So I called Miss Blank just as I was going out and said, 'Before you get your luncheon I wish you'd find out for me whose those telephone numbers are.'

"Two hours later I came back, and Miss Blank was sitting at her desk, weary and perseveringly studying the telephone book.

"I asked her if she had got some letters written that I had left, if she had lunched, if she had done several little things. She said no and then explained:

"'You see, it takes me a long time to read through the book till I come to the numbers you want,' she said. 'I haven't had time to do anything else!'"—Philadelphia Times.

A Neat Compliment.

That was a neat compliment paid by a French ambassador in London to a peeress who had been talking to him for an hour.

The lady said, "You must think I am very fond of the sound of my own voice."

The Frenchman replied, "I knew you liked music."

Classified Ads

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Small farms within 5 minutes walk of borough limits for sale by Charles O. Frye. See Charles O. Frye. See ad on second page. 41tfp

WANTED—A half grown girl at L. Collins, 218 Washington avenue. 45tf

FOR SALE—One Model 10 Buick Automobile at a scrifice if sold before Oct. 8, 1910. Inquire V. E. Reeves, Charleroi. 46tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, hot and cold water, bath. Good location. Inquire Mrs. Provins, at Saxon's Restaurant, McKean avenue. 46tf

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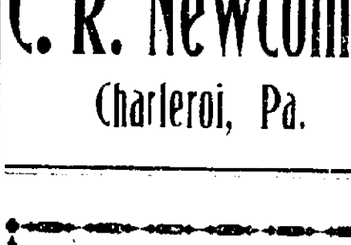

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AFRAID OF MOONLIGHT.

The Reason Porto Ricans Carry Umbrellas at Night

"The majority of Porto Ricans have instilled in them from earliest infancy a superstitious dread of the full moon's rays," said a business man who has just returned from that country.

"It is a curious sight to the American visitor to note men and women going along the streets and highways of the island with umbrellas raised over their heads in the fourteenth of the night, and the more brilliantly the moon is shining the greater will be the number of people who are thus protecting themselves from her beams. Out in the sequestered rural districts a gay mounted cavalier will be met at midnight, his bridle rein in one hand and an upraised umbrella in the other. It looks weird and also ridiculous, but the natives do it for a peculiar reason. They are possessed of the conviction that Luna's full light striking upon mortals is almost sure to make them mentally unsound—that is to say, lunatics—and that is why they interpose a shield between them and her dazzling brightness.

"To sleep where the moon could shine full upon one is, in the view of a Porto Rican, to tempt fate, and it would be a daring one who could be hired to do it for any consideration."—Baltimore American.

STRENUOUS LIVING.

A Long Day In the Life of an English Lady In 1791.

As for industrious idleness, which is held to blame for the wrecking of our nervous systems, it was not unknown to an earlier generation. Mme. le Brun assures us that in her youth pleasure loving people would leave Brussels early in the morning, travel all day to Paris to hear the opera and travel all night home. "That," she observes as well she may, "was considered being fond of the opera."

A paragraph in one of Horace Walpole's letters gives us the record of a day and a night in the life of an English lady—sixteen hours of "strain" which would put New York to the blush. "I heard the Duchess of Gordon's journal of last Monday," he writes to Miss Berry in the spring of 1791. "She first went to hear Handel's music in the abbey; she then clambered over the benches and went to Hastings' trial in the hall; after dinner to the play, then to Lady Lucan's assembly, after that to Ranelagh and supped at Mrs. Robert's [illegible] ball dressed in the morning, into which she must have a good way and set out for Scotland the next day. Hercules could not have accomplished a quarter of her labors in the same space of time."—Atlantic Monthly.

A Pretty Poor Portrait.

A Chinaman of very high rank had his portrait painted, and when it was finished the painter requested him to inquire of the passersby what they thought of it. The other agreed and asked the first comer:

"Do you think this portrait like?"

"The hat is extremely like," replied the critic.

The subject of the portrait asked a similar question of a second stranger who answered that the clothes seemed to be exactly reproduced. He was about to interrogate a third when the painter stopped him and said impatiently:

"The resemblance of the hat and clothes is of no importance. Ask this gentleman what he thinks of the face."

On being asked this question the stranger hesitated a very long time but at last he replied:

"The beard and hair are first rate."

London as It Was.

Hayda's "Dictionary of Dates" makes the statement that the old name of the city of London was written Lynden or Llyndin, meaning "the city on the lake." An old tradition gives us to understand that London was founded by Brute, a descendant of Aeneas, and called New Troy or Troynovant until the time of Lud, who surrounded the town with walls and named it Caer-Lud, or Lud's Town. This latter is probably the correct version of the story, if for no other reason because it is an easy matter to detect a similarity between the expression Lud's Town and London. It is claimed by some writers that there was a city on the same spot 1,107 years B. C., and it is known that the Romans founded a city there called Londinium A. D. 61.

Real Modesty.

"An actor should be modest, and most actors are," said a prominent one at a luncheon in Pittsburg. "But I know a young actor who at the beginning of his career carried modesty almost too far.

"This young man inserted in all the dramatic papers a want advertisement that said:

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Preferences.

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"The giraffe for mine," declared the second flea. "I need the highest altitude I can find."—Washington Herald.

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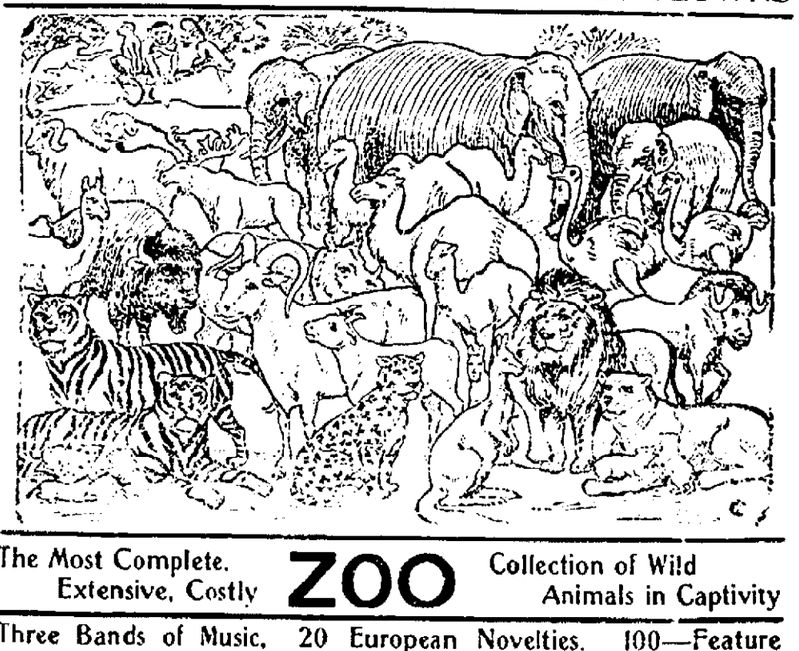

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SEPTEMBER SHIPMENTS OF COAL SURPRISINGLY GOOD

Lock No. 4 Had Busy Month In Spite of Local Effect from Tie-Up in Lower River Navigation

COMPARES FAVORABLY WITH LAST YEAR

In spite of the fact that low water in the Ohio river has been responsible in cutting down river shipments of coal Lock No. 4 had a good month during September, and the total shipment of coal was somewhat above the average. With 16 268,000 bushels locked through September was a better month than August by 589,000 bushels.

During the month there were 700 lockages made down stream. Steamers passing down were 394, and there were 1,499 boats, barges and flats locked through. Up stream there were 695 lockage made, 391 steamers and 1,458 boats, barges and flats passing up. The rainfall was 3.41 inches.

During August there were 15,679,000 bushels of coal put through Lock No. 4, and the previous month there was a total shipment of 17,675 000 bushels. During September, 1909, there was a shipment of 11,095,000 bushels. The past month was the best therefore, of September for two years, in 1907 there being a total shipment of 16,600,000 bushels.

The low water on the Ohio has caused nearly all the available as to be loaded with all and either left in the Pittsburg harbor or held at the various coal company's docks along the Monongahela river. The rain fall the past month was better than usual, but was not steady enough at any one period to cause a good boating stage in the Ohio

PAVING WORK BEGUN ON McKEAN AVENUE

Work Being Done Between Two Boroughs Will Connect With Solid Streets Three Towns

Hastings and Piper, contractors, have begun the work of grading and paving between the boroughs of Charleroi and North Charleroi on McKean avenue, and within two or three weeks will have the job finished. Thus a much needed improvement will be effected.

By this paving not only the two boroughs of Charleroi and North Charleroi will be connected by solid paving, out a continuous paved street to be finished through to the lower end of Monessen, with the Monessen-Charleroi bridge spanning the river. Muddy passage ways will thus be done away with.

It is planned to lay sidewalks between Charleroi and North Charleroi this winter, and it is stated the latter borough will have walks put down along Lincoln avenue which was graded and paved last year.

CHANGES MADE ON INTERURBAN LINES BY PITTSBURG RAILWAYS

Right of Ways Man Appointed General Agent of the Washington and Canonsburg Line

J. W. McKay, who has for some time been connected with the Pittsburg Railways company as right of way man, has been made general agent for the company of District No. 6, which comprises the lines in the Washington section. Mr. McKay will look after the business of the company in the interurban districts and will be assisted by Fred Eibs, who is now acting superintendent of the Washington district.

Mr. Eibs was local superintendent, but since his promotion he will be responsible for the behavior of the men and crews and the operation of cars on the interurban lines between Washington and Castle Shannon and from Castle Shannon to Charleroi. The lines beyond Castle Shannon will be in charge of district No. 3

It is also likely that some new inspectors will be named for the Washington district within a very short time. Smith Mitchell, who has been inspector for a number of years resigned his positon and accepted a position with a trolley company in Ohio.

These changes will go into effect today. Previous to the change E. C. Fitch, who is now acting superintendent of district No. 3, was superintendent of the Washington division. Mr McKay has been connected with the Pittsburg Railways company for some time as right of way and real estate man and is well acquainted with the workings of the lines in this district.—Washington Observer

LOCAL ATHLETES ENTER CENTENNIAL TRACK MEET

Centennial Feature at Washington Thursday Attracting Considerable Attention Here.

HIGH SCHOOL TO SEND BEST RUNNERS

About 75 prominent amateur athletes have arranged to compete in the big centennial championship track and [illegible] Washington, Wednesday afternoon, October 5, under the direction of Dr. L. F. Kirchner, physical director of W. and J. College The Pittsburg Athletic association will send 21 of its best men; W. and J College will have 12; Charleroi High School, four and Grove City College five Other entries are Washington Field Club, Pittsburg, four, Indiana State Normal School two, Wellsville High School, one; Wilmerding Y. M. C. A four, Westminster College, New Wilmington, two; Washington Y M. C. A, three and Pittsburg Y. M. C. A., one. In the five mile event there are 21 entries.

In order to take care of the large number of athletes and their friends and other college men in Pittsburg, [illegible] to be run from Liberty and Grant to Washington. The following are the events 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash; 440 yard dash, 440 yard run for schools, high jump; broad jump discus throw, one mile run; five mile run; 10 yard hurdle; 220 yard hurdle; pole vault half mile run.

The Charleroi high school has Shaner Blythe and Austin Stalhman entered in the 220 yard dash; Austin Stalhman, Blythe, Jesse Michener, H. Primas and L Carson, in the 440 yard run, and L Carson in the pole vault; B. H. Crawford of Charleroi, who has gained some reputation as a runner, is entered in the five mile run.

JUDGES NAME BEST QUILTS

Unique Designs and Artistic Workmanship Noted

The judges to pass upon the qualifications of quilts entered locally in the Revolutionary Quilt contest being conducted by the Reddisode Cotton Batting company of which J. W. Berryman and Son are the local agents, made their decision Saturday night after a thorough inspection of the 29 quilts entered at Berryman's store. The quilt adjudged first on all points considered, historical interest, age and artistic bauty, was that of Mrs. Simon Wilson of Fallowfield avenue. The second was one belonging to Miss Clara G. Cooper, and the third best was one belonging to Miss Mabel Mansfield.

The quilt owned by Mrs. Wilson was coosen mainly because of its exquisite design and workmanship. This quilt had beautiful raised figures which had been worked by Mrs. Wilson's mother, 60 years ago. The quilt of Miss Cooper's was one made by her grandmother 30 years ago, when that lady was between 80 and 90 years old. It is like that of Mrs. Wilson's of beautiful design and workmanship, and the fact that it was made by a person so old, lends especial historical interest to it.

The quilt of Miss Mansfield's was selected as one of the best because of its age, its unique design, and fine workmanship The stitching and patchwork drew special attention.

The judges were Rev. J.T Hackett, Jesse K. Johnston and E. C. Niver. Pictures of the quilts will be taken and together with a thorough description of the work and historical interest be sent to the Reddisode company. Money prizes are awarded for the best quilts in the United States.

Rummage Sale

The ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale in the Schuyler building on McKean avenue, at the corner of Fourth street, beginning next Tuesday. 46t2

JEWISH NEW YEAR BEGINS AT SUNDOWN

At sundown today in every Jewish synagogue or house of worship throughout the universe the solemn service of the Jewish New Year will begin with the "Minha," or evening prayer. This holiday is only exceeded in importance by them as Day For Yom Kippur, which comes ten days later.

DIES WHILE GUEST AT FRIEND'S HOME

Miss Rebecca T. Zimmerman, 31 years old of Pittsburg, while a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs Hamilton Booth, of Fallowfield avenue, died this morning at 4 o'clock from consumption. The funeral will be held from the Booth residence Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and services to be conducted by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church, and interment will be in the Fell cemetery near Webster. The deceased, who was a milliner, is survived by a cousin in Monessen, Andrew Zimmerman, and three cousins here, Mrs. J. Leyda of Woodlawn avenue, Mrs. J McConnell of Meadow avenue, and Mrs. S. Gilland of North Charleroi.

Ligon-Kearnes

At St. Jerome's Catholic church this morning, Miss Mary M. Kearnes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kearnes, of 1300 McKean avenue, and Roscoe Owen Ligon of Pittsburg were married, the ceremony being performed by Rev O. J Kirby, assistant rector. Miss Sadie Kearnes, a sister of the bride, and James Welsh of Charleroi were the attendants. The bride is well known here, and the groom is popular in his home neighborhood. After a weddding trip to Kentucky the couple will take up their residence in Charleroi. The groom is employed as a mate on the steamboat Cadet, plying the local river.

John, Martin and William Seofort and friend Albert Volkert, of Northside, Pittsburg, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Nettie Nealer of Fourth street Sunday.

Democrat Says Tener is Known

Republican Candidate Popular Throughout the Entire State.

Owen McCarthy, a prominent Pennsylvania Railroad official, who is located at Renovo, was in town yesterday, visiting friends. It was Mr. McCarthy's first visit to Charleroi and he was much interested in the appearance of the town. The fact of it being the home of John K. Tener, the Republican candidate for Governor, added interest, and Mr. McCarthy stated that although a life-long Democrat, he proposed to vote for Mr. Tener this fall, and said he knew many more of his party who would do the same. His duties take him to many parts of the State, and he says that his observation leads to the conclusion that Mr. Tener will have an overwhelming majority.

CENTENNIAL OPENS AT COUNTY SEAT

The centennial was formally opened with services in all the Washington Churches yesterday and today the program as heretofore published is being carried out. A feature of the centennial week will be the aeroplane exhibition each day, late in the afternoon. It is possible that Walter Brookins, who is to make the flights, may take a sail over this way to view the home of the next Governor of Pennsylvania.

Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that my wife, Bessie Perry, having left my home without just cause or provocation, I will pay no bills that she may contract.

Solomon Perry.

Charleroi Oct 3 1910. 47t2p

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 27 Mail office. 47t2p

Miss Ada Barnhart left Saturday for Little Falls, N. Y., where she will enter the Syracuse Seminary for girls.

Adult Classes at Convention

Will be Feature of State Sunday School Meeting at Altoona.

Perhaps no present day movement among the Protestant Evangelical churches has created a wider attention and interest than the one characterized by the initials O. A. B. C, which stand for Organized Adult Bible Class. The movement is connected with the Sunday schools of the county and is endorsed by all denominations. Our sister State, Ohio, on our western border leads the movement in the number of such classes.

Pennsylvania is very close second Within the last two years 2,150 classes, with a membership of 66,844 have been organized Bible study with a view of personal, practical every day application, is the object.

A rally of the representatives of these classes will be held Friday, October 14th, at Altoona in connection with the Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, October 12, 13, 14

A street demonstration of the men's classes will be a feature of the day. It is expected that ten thousand men will participate. Ex-Governor Hanley of Indianapolis, Ind., will address the mass meeting following the street demonstration. His topic will be Civic Evolution." Every county in the State will be represented in this demonstration.

Rare Bargains

Can be obtained at the rummage sale of the ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church in the Schuyler building at the corner of Fourth street and McKean avenue. Sale begins Tuesday, October 4. 46t2

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Hockman of Lookout avenue are attending the Pittsburg Exposition today.

One pint imported China [illegible] jugs, beautifully decorated, 25c. value. Special one free with one-half pound tea 30c. At Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

6 qt. Bake Pans, blue and white enamel, free with one can baking powder, 50 cents at Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

WANT THE NAME OF STATION CHANGED

A petition is being circulated among the shipper of Roscoe, asking the P. and L E. railroad to change the name of their station opposite that place to avoid confusion in shipments and expensive delays to merchants. Ever since the Lake Erie road was built the Fayette county side of the river people have suffered annoyance and expense in having packages carried on to Newell the next station beyond, as there is no agent at the Fayette county Roscoe. It is hoped the petition will be effective.

BILLIARD PLAYERS

H. L. Swickey, proprietor of the Popular Colonial Pool and Billiard rooms on McKean avenue, is a firm believer in keeping abreast of the times, and this was demonstrated some time ago when he gave the West Penn Electric company a contract for a complete remodeling of his lighting system. Over each table at present will be found two 80 candle power modern Tungsten Electric Lights enclosed in handsome glass reflectors. As the Colonial was just lately redecorated and many changes made for convenience of patrons, Mr. Swickey is justified in feeling very proud of his room, as it is not surpassed even in cities in its appointments and fixtures.

A very interesting new feature is the purchase of a very valuable set of billiard cues and balls of the finest quality not be had the world over. The balls are made from the finest soft Zanzibar Elephant Tusk Ivory, and even to see the exquisite formation of these "live balls" is a treat. The best finished Cues procurable are used, and are wrapped handled, ebony pointed.

Mr. Swickey has just lately covered his Billiard Table with the highest grade of Samonis cloth, and also put in new rails and bed, thereby insuring to the lovers of high class billiards unexcelled facilities for the game of their choice. 47t1

James Pegg was home from McDonald where he is employed, for a visit over Sunday with relatives and friends.

ITINERARY MAPPED OUT

Campaigning Party in Northern Part of State.

John K. Tener and his colleagues on the Republican State ticket spent yesterday in Pittsburg and tonight they will speak at New Castle. Lieutenant Governor Robert S. Murphy will make a notable address in which he will review the achievements of Governor Stuart's administration.

Mr. Tener's itinerary of night meetings for the week is: Monday, New Castle; Tuesday, Sharon; Wednesday, Titusville; Thursday, Franklin; Friday, Warren, and Saturday, Erie.

Mr. Tener, however, expects to be in Washington Friday, having been invited to be present at Distinguished Visitors Day of the Centennial celebration being held at the county seat this week.

VESTA STRIKE IS STILL ON

Practically No Change of Conditions at Up River Mine

There has been practically no change of conditions at the Vesta No. 1 mine and the strike in effect for several days over the use of safety lamps on pillars, is still on. President Francis Feehan is expected to take a hand in the matter and there is hope of settlement then. The miners are willing to go to work under conditions they refused at first to accept and now it is optional with the mine officials whether the mine starts or not.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Oct. 3 In American History.

1656—Miles Standish Puritan soldier and hero of romance, died, born 1584.

1800—George Bancroft, historian, born died 1891.

1860—Rembrandt Peale, celebrated painter, died born 1778

1866—Steamer Evening Star, bound from New York to New Orleans, sank at sea, and 250 persons were drowned a highly sensational ocean tragedy.

1901—General George W Getty, noted veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died, born 1813

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow) Sun sets 5:35, rises 5:56, moon sets 6:03 p m., at sunset today year 5671 of Jewish era begins 2:53 a m. moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet 7 a m., Mercury at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward 11 a. m. Mercury apparently stationary.

Where the Danger Lies

Former Congressman E. F. Acheson must now be convinced more than ever that he is not destined to extinguish John K. Tener's star of destiny. His last attempt in collusion with W. J. Brennan, the Democratic county chairman of Allegheny, to effect a fusion of the Democratic and Keystone parties—the latter of which Mr. Acheson was one of the prime movers for the express purpose of trying to defeat Mr. Tener—has proved a rank failure. Although Mr. Acheson started the Keystone movement ostensibly in the interests of local option, he was perfectly willing to sacrifice this principle to form a coalition with a party that has never committed itself to this issue.

Even though he has given up trying to defeat Tener for Governor Acheson and his papers are still trying to inflict a blow on the industrial interests of this county and district by trying to elect a Democratic Congressman. In this the Acheson interests have effected a fusion, and are making a desperate effort to induce Republicans to vote for Wilson, the Democratic candidate for Congress, as well as to defeat Republican candidates for Assembly and the Senate in the interests of a Democratic United State Senator. The Acheson coherts cannot jeoardize the election of Governor in any manner, but they may be able to strike a blow at the prosperity of the country by helping to elect a Democratic House of Congress which is opposed to the Republican policy of protection

How Much?

When any person makes a "holler" about the tariff being a burden to the people, a good answer to make is how much personally it adds to the cost of individual expenses? Ten chances to one the average person cannot tell he has simply accepted some one else's statement on the matter. When any particular schedule is traced to its individually application, the amount of tax each person pays is so inconsiderable that it is not worth while to make a fuss about.

A Big "holler" is made on the wool tariff. This is said to be unduely burdensome to the people, and is adding greatly to the cost of living. As a matter of fact the average man pays very little each year of this tax. The tax on raw wool is eleven cents a pound, and the man who buys a twenty dollar all wool suit of clothes probably pays seventy-five cents tax. If he buys a cheaper suit his tax is still less. This pro rata is what he would pay for woolen clothes for his whole family, who for the most part use cotton clothing, which this country produces in its entirety The wool tax the head of a family pays annually is less than what he usually expends for peanuts in the course of a year.

This tax is levied partly to protect the manufacturer and wool grower in this country, and mostly because the country needs the revenue for government expenses. If it were not collected from the citizens in this indirect manner, it would be collected directly, so that each citizen would have to dig down and pay seventy-five cents taxation to the government, whether he bought a wool suit or not Another thing the tax on wool does is to encourage sheep raising. When many sheep are raised the price of mutton tends to regulate the price of beef. As the price of meat is unduly high now, the decrease of sheep raising would increase it still more When the tariff was taken off wool the flocks declined to a marked extent, and meat prices took a big jump. By making this personal application it will be seen that the tariff does not bear heavily on the individual, and that the benefits that accrue in the general prosperity of the country more than outweigh the burdens that fall on the individual

Down and Out

By the refusal of the State Democratic campaign committee to effect a fusion, with toe Keystone party, and withdraw both Grim, the Democratic candidate for Governor, and Berry, the Keystone candidate, and substitute another Democrat, the Keystone party candidate is virtually down and out. The offer of Berry to withdraw and effect a fusion was a public confession of his weakness and the hopelessness of his campaign, and the wonder now is why such a proposition was made public. Good politics would have prompted the promoters of the project to have kept the matter a secret while the proceedings were in progress. About the only reason why publicity was given the matter is the supposition that the project might arouse popular enthusiasm to such a pitch as to make a demand for fusion irresistible The enthusiasm was lacking, however, and the confession of weakness that the supporters of the fusion made by their efforts is fatal to their cause.

Mr. Berry is virtually down and out, so far as any hope of election is concerned His candidacy only divides the apposition to the Republican party, and will increase John K. Tener's majority. He will be a low third in the race, and whatever efforts may be made from now on will only tend to increase the rising tide for the Republican ticket that is everywhere apparent.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Not On Your Life

If I were a railroad brakeman,
I'd holler the stations so plain
That the man who was going to Texas
Would go clear through to Maine;
I'd open the door of the smoker,
And I'd give such a mighty roar,
That the passengers back in the sleeper
Would all fall out on the floor.
For I couldn't afford to be civil,
And I coulon't afford to be meek,
Nor speak in the tones of an Aeolian harp
For 'leven dollars a week

Hark!

'Tis a midnight alarm of fi-yer
Thick, blinding smoke filled the apartment house, its acrid fumes awakening those who were not used to having their fumes acrid.

Gwendoline De Style was one of these. Apprending that no time was to be lost, she dressed herself and then stepped out on the fire escape.

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If you are suffering from any of these ailments, don't give up hope until you have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. She has guided thousands to health, free of charge.

Horrors! She had put on her hoodle skirt.

The End.

Of course there will be no show whatever for Mr. Tener to be elected Governor of Pennsylvania if Berry and the rest withdraw. But then there would still be beer and skittles. For information to D. F. Acheson.

The Prohibitionists have stated that they cannot support the Keystone party. You can't blame them one least bit.

Impromptu Speaker—"My thoughts have gone to my shoes"

Voice from audience—"Take off your shoes."

The man who cooks his meals by the use of an electric iron shows considerable originality in his makeup

If an ordinary man gets the whip hand in politics he is called the boss and knocked accordingly. If Roosevelt takes a notion he wants to elect a man to any position he is called a leader and consequently admired.

STREET PARADE TO BE FEATURE

The Howe's Shows are far famed for their menagerie. Its zoological collection of wild beasts is the most compete of any tented organization. It has a collection of costly and rare animals from every part of the world. The entire array will be seen in the gorgeous street parade that will take place at 10 o'clock in the morning with its gaily decked cages, chariots, handsomely gowned men and women, beautiful horses, for which these shows are celebated. Its herds of elephants and camels, open dens of wild beasts and birds, three bands of music. There are scores of premier acts, together with arenic performers. Their offering this season outshines all their previous efforts. All big classy European, together with America's best leapers, tumblers, airilists and acrobats. If you are a lover of horses you owe Howe's Circus a visit. There is no traveling exhibition under the sun that carries such a collection of thoroughbred stock from the smallest Shetland ponies to the high toned Arabian, every class of horse flesh is represented. The afternoon performance will commence at two o'clock and from the grand entree to the finish, the big rings and stages will be occupied by one act or another, from the high salaried artists to the funny old clowns. The program speaks only of novelty and they are coming to Charleroi Saturday, October 8, which will be gala day of the year for both young and old alike.

Three Arrests

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force had but three arrests on Saturday, all these for drunkeness. The town was very orderly.

The Cry of the Age is "Back to the Farm"

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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Walters and son Lewellyn, of Pittsburg were over Sunday visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters.

Patronize Mail Advertisers

DIRECTORY ISSUED BY BELL COMPANY

Many New Subscribers Added Since Last Book Was Issued.

The Bell Telephone company is now distributing the August issue of its directory in the Monongahela valley district, 8,500 books comprising this issue; and it is expected that delivery will be completed before the end of the week.

Each directory contains a list of the subscribers in eight exchanges of the Bell company in the Monongahela Valley District, together with instructions as to reaching seventy toll stations in the district which are not directly associated with any exchange.

F. B. Burwell, local manager for the company, reports that 1,000 new subscribers have been added to the Bell system in his district since the last directory issue. He calls attention to the advisibility of consulting the new issue before making familiar calls, as many subscribers have contracted for an improved class of service, resulting in many changes of all numbers.

The Telephone company further urges the necessity of calling by number. The limits of memory and any change in the operating force make it impossible to render good service if connections are asked by name.

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MANICURE AND HAIRDRESSING

Notice of a Special or Public Election.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Directors for the school district of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington, Pennsylvania, propose to incur an indebtedness of said School District or increase the debt thereof by an amount of $22,000 provided the assent of the electors of said School District is first obtained; and for the purpose of obtaining such assent of said electors, a Public Election is hereby proclaimed, to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 1910, from the hour of seven (7) A. M., to the hour of seven (7) P. M., at the Borough Building or City Hall in said Borough or School District, the place of holding the municipal elections in said municipality or district. And in order to give the information required by law, the following statement is declared.

STATEMENT

1. The amount of the last assessed valuation of said School District is...$316,000
2. There is no existing debt or in other words the indebtedness of said District is nothing.
3. The amount of the last preceding assessed valuation of said District is.....$318,000
4. The amount of the proposed increase of indebtedness is.....$ 22,000
5. The percentage of the proposed increase of indebtedness is 6 and 358-1000 per cent upon the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property in said district.
6. The purpose for which said debt is to be incurred or increased is for the erection and equipping of a new school building for said district.

By order of said Board of Directors of said School District.

Attest:
BOWMAN HORN,
Secretary.
J. A. SPRINGER,
President.

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Notice.

Having resigned the Secretaryship in St. John's Baptist Russian Orthodox church, in Charleroi, Pa., I hereby announce that I will not accept any correspondence or bills for settlement. From this day those should be presented to Rev. J. Sechinsky.

JOHN B. HORDISKINSKY.
927 Meadow Avenue,
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Marbles.

Marbles got their name from the fact that originally little bits of marble were rolled down the hills and rounded and pounded by other stones until they became toys for the children to play with. It is said that the Dutch exported them to England. Whether they did or not makes little difference to the boys and girls of today. No matter who introduced the world to marbles as toys, they are with us and always will be. Some of you get them from other children, some of you trade postage stamps for them, but some persons originally bought them from the little store around the corner, whose owner got them from the greatest toyshop in the world—Germany. In the beginning marbles were called "bowls," and men and women played with them as well as children.—Dundee Advertiser.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Flora Daniels and daughter Miss Bessie of Monaca returned home today after being the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. S. James.

Mrs. C. B. Anderson and son of Duquesne who have been guests of the family of C. R. Trew left here Sunday for Beallsville where they will visit Mrs. H. E. Dawson.

Ben Crawford was in Charleroi from Elizabeth over Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Leo A. Sherry, the makeup man of the Mail, after spending a week at his home in Bellefonte, returned last evening.

John Higgins of Washington avenue was taken to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg this morning, for an operation for appendicitis. He was accompanied by Dr. H. H. Hill and John Hott.

George Kline, Frank Arrison and Georg Barnett were Sunday visitors in Brownsville with friends.

Robert McGown was in Brownsville on Saturday calling on friends.

George Hudspith went to Brownsville Sunday to visit friends.

Jay Reeves was in Donora on Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

Perre D. Pollock this morning entered school in the dentistry department of the University of Pittsburg, beginning his second year's work.

James Gray who is employed at McDonald was home over Sunday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Katherine Gray of McKean avenue.

Phillip Hileman, manager and editor of the Waynesburg Times was a visitor in Charleroi this morning on his way to Waynesburg from California where he spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowman and two children of Braddock were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Barth of Washington avenue.

Holmes Leonard has returned from a several weeks trip to the west. He visited in Colorado and other States.

Pres-cut Krystol glass butter dishes dish and cover free with one pound tea 60c. Barger's, 415 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

G. W. Holyfield, who has been visiting his brother, C. C. Holyfield here of some time left this afternoon for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will likely locate.

Miss Lizzie Schafer of McKeesport arrived this morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Abell of Crest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson and Mrs. Kerfoot Daly have returned home from Atlantic City, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Harry Mann of Donora was a visitor in Charleroi yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zellers of the Charleroi Hotel.

John McIlvaine, who pitched for the Frankfort, Ky., team of the Blue Grass league the past season, has returned home to spend the winter.

D. J. Murphy of Uniontown division commercial superintendent of the C. D. and P. Telephone company, was a business visitor in Charleroi this morning.

B. E. Taylor of Pittsburg and Owen McCarthy of Renovo were Charleroi visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Day and Mrs. E. C. Niver are spening the day in Pittsburg.

A Meek Worm.

"You miserable worm!" cried an incensed wife. "If you was half a man you'd help me to turn the mangle!"

"I may be a worm," replied the spouse meekly, "but I ain't the sort that turns."—London Mail.

The Sweet Girl.

Belle—Nellie, dear, may I introduce you to my fiance? Nellie—Delighted to meet you, sir! All of your predecessors have been such bully fellows.—Cleveland Leader.

He that riseth late must trot all day and shall scarce overtake his business at night.—Franklin.

PALESTINE.

Many Ways In Which It Strikingly Resembles California.

Palestine is more like the state of California than any other in the Union in everything except size. It lies between longitude 34 degrees 30 minutes and 36 degrees 30 minutes east and between latitude 30 degrees 30 minutes and 33 degrees 45 minutes north. It is practically a California reduced to about one-twentieth in size, but markedly similar in general topography, climate, [illegible] and natural and economic possibilities.

Like California, Palestine is longest from north to south. Like California, too, it has both very high mountains, having an elevation of 9,000 to 10,000 feet, and very deep depressions. The Dead sea, 1,200 feet below sea level, is the greatest depression known, and, like the Death valley of California, it is situated in the southern extremity of the country.

In Palestine, just as in California, we have a dry, warm season and a humid and more temperate one. The rainy season extends from October to May and the dry season from May to October.

Palestine is even more favored than California with regard to the winter temperature. Although the thermometer rises as high in summer in Palestine as in California, with extremes of 110 degrees to 115 degrees F., though not so often, it very rarely drops in the winter to the freezing point. Snow is rare, even on the plateaus, and our farmers are practically safe from any damage by frost over nearly the entire extent of the country.—From Aaron Aaronsohn's "Agricultural and Botanical Explorations in Palestine."

KEPT HER BUSY.

The Way She Tried to Discover the Telephone Numbers.

"I don't believe that the public schools teach their graduates to use their minds," remarked a well known citizen of Philadelphia the other day. "Here's a story just to illustrate what I mean:

"I got a secretary last summer who had just been graduated with high honors from the Commercial high school. She had been picked out for me as the best girl in her class, and I found her excellent in all that required methodical, parrot-like work.

"One day I jotted down some telephone numbers that I wanted to remember and, having a poor memory, forgot in the course of the morning whose the numbers were or what the business was upon which I wanted to phone.

"So I called Miss Blank just as I was going out and said, 'Before you get your luncheon I wish you'd find out for me whose those telephone numbers are.'

"Two hours later I came back, and Miss Blank was sitting at her desk, weary and perseveringly studying the telephone book.

"I asked her if she had got some letters written that I had left, if she had lunched, if she had done several little things. She said no and then explained:

"'You see, it takes me a long time to read through the book till I come to the numbers you want,' she said. 'I haven't had time to do anything else!'"—Philadelphia Times.

A Neat Compliment.

That was a neat compliment paid by a French ambassador in London to a peeress who had been talking to him for an hour.

The lady said, "You must think I am very fond of the sound of my own voice."

The Frenchman replied, "I knew you liked music."

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Lot of carpenters tools, for sale at reasonable price, 602 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

FOR SALE—Ladies' bicycle, good condition. Call 602 Fallowfield avenue. 47tf

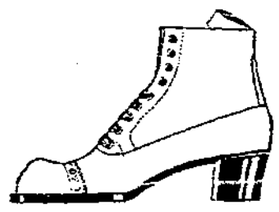
Small farms within 5 minutes walk of borough limits for sale by Charles O. Frye. See Charles O. Frye. See ad on second page. 41tfp

WANTED—A half grown girl at L. Collins, 218 Washington avenue. 45tf

FOR SALE—One Model 10 Buick Automobile at a serifice if sold before Oct. 8, 1910. Inquire V. E. Reeves, Charleroi. 46tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, hot and cold water, bath. Good location. Inquire—Mrs. Provins, at Saxon's Restaurant, McKean avenue. 46tf

WANTED—To exchange stock of goods for real estate. Inquire of C. C. Crill. 41tf



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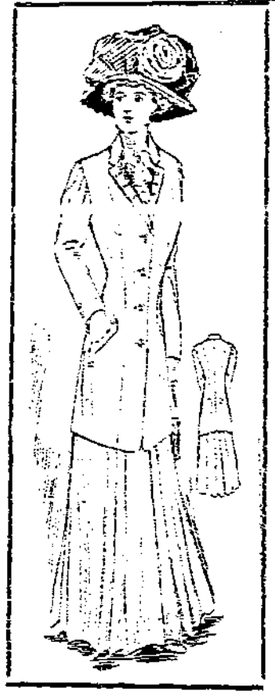

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AFRAID OF MOONLIGHT.

The Reason Porto Ricans Carry Umbrellas at Night.

"The majority of Porto Ricans have instilled in them from earliest infancy a superstitious dread of the full moon's rays," said a business man who has just returned from that country.

"It is a curious sight to the American visitor to note men and women going along the streets and highways of the island with umbrellas raised over their heads in the lonely hours of the night, and the more brilliantly the moon is shining the greater will be the number of people who are thus protecting themselves from her beams. Out in the sequestered rural districts a gay mounted cavalier will be met at midnight, his bridle rein in one hand and an upraised umbrella in the other. It looks weird and also ridiculous, but the natives do it for a peculiar reason. They are possessed of the conviction that Luna's full light striking upon mortals is almost sure to make them mentally unsound—that is to say, lunatics—and that is why they interpose a shield between them and her dazzling brightness.

"To sleep where the moon could shine full upon one is, in the view of a Porto Rican, to tempt fate, and it would be a daring man who could be hired to do it for any consideration."—Baltimore American.

STRENUOUS LIVING.

A Long Day In the Life of an English Lady In 1791.

As for industrious idleness, which is held to blame for the wrecking of our nervous systems, it was not unknown to an earlier generation. Mme. le Brun assures us that in her youth pleasure loving people would leave Brussels early in the morning, travel all day to Paris to hear the opera and travel all night home. "That," she observes—as well she may—"was considered being fond of the opera."

A paragraph in one of Horace Walpole's letters gives us the record of a day and a night in the life of an English lady—sixteen hours of "strain" which would put New York to the blush. "I heard the Duchess of Gordon's journal of last Monday," he writes to Miss Berry in the spring of 1791. "She first went to hear Handel's music in the abbey; she then clambered over the benches and went to Hastings's trial in the hall; after dinner to the play; from to Lady Lucan's assembly; after that to Ranelagh and supped at Mrs. Robert's [illegible] and [illegible] in the evening of morning into which she must have a good way and scarce [illegible] the next day. Hercules could not have accomplished a quarter of her labors in the same space of time."—Atlantic Monthly.

A Pretty Poor Portrait.

A Chinaman of very high rank had his portrait painted, and when it was finished the painter requested him to inquire of the passersby what they thought of it. The other agreed and asked the first comer:

"Do you think this portrait like?"

"The hat is extremely like," replied the critic.

The subject of the portrait asked a similar question of a second stranger, who answered that the clothes seemed to be exactly reproduced. He was about to interrogate a third when the painter stopped him and said impatiently:

"The resemblance of the hat and clothes is of no importance. Ask this gentleman what he thinks of the face."

On being asked this question the stranger hesitated a very long time but at last he replied:

"The beard and hair are first rate."

London as It Was.

Haydn's "Dictionary of Dates" makes the statement that the old name of the city of London was written Lynden or Llyndin, meaning "the city on the lake." An old tradition gives us to understand that London was founded by Brute, a descendant of Aeneas, and called New Troy or Troynovant until the time of Lud, who surrounded the town with walls and named it Caer-Lud, or Lud's Town. This latter is probably the correct version of the story, if for no other reason because it is an easy matter to detect a similarity between the expression Lud's Town and London. It is claimed by some writers that there was a city on the same spot 1,107 years B. C., and it is known that the Romans founded a city there called Londinium A. D. 61.

Real Modesty.

"An actor should be modest, and most actors are," said a prominent one at a luncheon in Pittsburg. "But I know a young actor who at the beginning of his career carried modesty almost too far.

"This young man inserted in all the dramatic papers a want advertisement that said:

"'Engagement wanted—small part, such as dead body or outside shouts preferred.'"

Preferences.

"I think I'll spend my vacation on the lynx," said the first flea. "I'm fond of golf."

"The giraffe for mine," declared the second flea. "I need the highest altitude I can find."—Washington Herald.

Sensible.

Mrs. X.—The flat above us is unoccupied right now. Why don't you come and live there? Mrs. Y.—Oh, my dear, we've been such good friends, and I hate to start quarreling with you!—Exchange.

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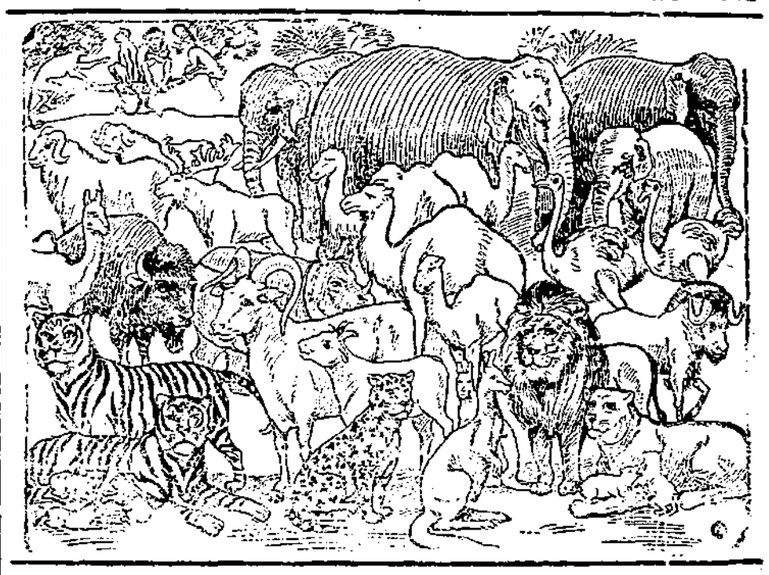

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